

Interview Summary

Application No.

10/713,124

Applicant(s)

YAMAMOTO ET AL.

Examiner

Trevor McGraw

Art Unit

3752

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Trevor McGraw.

(3) _____

(2) Mr. Marc Volgelbacker.

(4) _____

Date of Interview: 14 May 2007.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____

Claim(s) discussed: 11, 12 and 17-20.

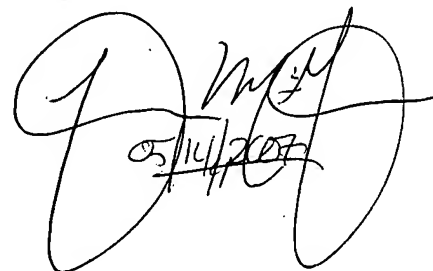
Identification of prior art discussed: N/A.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Mr. Volgelbacker brought to Examiner's attention that the Office Action mailed 05/01/2007 was made Final improperly. Examiner thanked Mr. Vogelbacker for catching the overcite and agreed to mail out another Office Action indicating Non-Final status.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.



05/14/2007

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required